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## MAKE AN ISSUE OF ROOSEVELT

### THE INSURGENT VICTORY VERY DECISIVE

## THE WAY TO GET PUNCHBOWL HOMES

LAND OFFICE RECEIVING APPLICATIONS UNDER THE PREFERENCE RIGHT TO PURCHASE SYSTEM—MUCH PROOF OF OCCUPANCY SINCE 1900 IS REQUIRED BY THE NEW LAW—FORM OF APPLICATION.

Applications to take up lands under the "Preference Right to Purchase" system are now coming in to the Land Office, and are adding an immense amount of labor, owing to the complicated nature of the applications. Commissioner Marston Campbell remarked that it appeared to be taking four or five hours to get one application in proper shape.

The "Preference right" system is in brief a plan whereby citizens who have lived for a long time on government land under lease or rental, may have preference over any other occupants in getting title to such lands, as homes. This applies to the cases of the numerous Portuguese on Punchbowl, who have lived for a long time in the homes they occupy. Under the new land law, each one of them has the preference in getting ownership of his home, and there is no longer any danger of them being ousted.

Applicants are having considerable difficulty, however, in getting their papers in proper shape, and the following

ing copy of the form of blanks shows that the requirements, in the way of evidence, etc., are very strict: "Preference Right to Purchase Affidavit and Application of..... for Lot No..... Map..... at (Locality)..... Territory of Hawaii (City and County of.....

"I..... (full name)..... of..... in the..... County of..... Territory of Hawaii, desiring to purchase Lot No..... as shown on government Survey Registered Map No..... situated at..... in the..... County of..... Territory of Hawaii, do solemnly swear; (or affirm):

"That I am a..... (male or female) of the age of..... years.

"That I am, and was prior to May 27, 1910, a..... (native born or naturalized)..... citizen of the United States; (or) (If not native born) That prior to May 27, 1910, I declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States as required by law and

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## HAWAII'S BIG AUTO SHOWING; PROBABLY HOLDS THE RECORD

Figures collected for this year's annual report of Governor Frear show that at the end of the fiscal year, June 30, there were 861 automobiles in the Territory of Hawaii.

This represents an outlay estimated to be something like a million dollars, and in proportion to population probably holds the United States, if not the world's record. The governor's figures do not cover the matter of values, but it is known that the machines range from the cheaper grades

to autos valued at six thousand dollars or more each.

The figures for the different islands are as follows:

Oahu—555.  
Hawaii—122.  
Maui—109.  
Kauai—75.

The Kauai figures are estimated, the ordinance compelling registration not having been in effect last year.

In spite of these large figures, showing the number of autos now here, more machines are constantly coming, in and next year's figures will undoubtedly show a substantial increase.

### PLEADED GUILTY.

Segala Pacheco this morning pleaded guilty, in Judge Cooper's court, to a charge of assault with a weapon, on Manuel Lopez. He was sentenced to 18 months imprisonment.

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### Over Half The Year Gone

and that

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### SACHS' SATURDAY SPECIALS.

Get to Sachs' before one o'clock on Saturday and take advantage of their specials. There is Cotton Cover Cloth, Silk Net Gloves, All Wool Challies, Normandy Laces and other attractive bargains.

### FAMOUS VIOLINIST ENTERTAINS HOTEL GUESTS

Ethel Canfield, the famous violin virtuoso, accompanied by Prof. Anderson of New York, will entertain the diners at the Alexander Young Cafe on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday nights.

Tuesday and Thursday nights she will be heard at the Young Hotel dining room, on the sixth floor, and at the Moana Hotel on Sunday night.

### NEW RICE MILL.

The K. Yamamoto Rice Mill is the largest as well as the finest in the islands. All machinery is of the very latest pattern. The famous Tengu Rice is cleaned at this mill. With the large cleaning capacity they are able to handle considerable outside particular work when they guarantee.

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## HAWAII FULL-FLEDGED LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT

As previously announced Hawaii has been changed from a lighthouse sub-district to a district. The following is the official notice of the promotion:

Department of Commerce and Labor Lighthouse Establishment. Office of Inspector, 19th District Honolulu, T. H., August 15, 1910.

Change in designation and official title.

In accordance with authority from the Department of Commerce and Labor, on August 1, 1910, the offices to the Assistant to the Engineer, 12th Lighthouse District, together with all equipment, property, etc., were transferred to and placed under the charge

of the Assistant to the Inspector, 12th Lighthouse District. On the same date the lighthouse districts of the United States were rearranged, and hereafter the Twelfth Lighthouse Sub-district will be known as the Nineteenth Lighthouse District, comprising the Hawaiian Islands and other American Pacific Islands. All communications, official and otherwise, should be addressed to the inspector of the Nineteenth Lighthouse District, Room 311, McCandless building, Honolulu, T. H.

V. S. HOUSTON,

Lieut. commander, U. S. N., Inspector of the 19th Lighthouse District.

### MAYOR GAYNOR NOT SAFE YET. (Special Cable to The Star.)

NEW YORK, August 17.—Mayor Gaynor's secretary today gave out a statement as to the mayor's condition, to the effect that he is not out of danger, but may yet succumb to the bullet wound inflicted last week.

### 40 MILES PER HOUR FOR TWELVE HOURS.

PARIS, August 17.—Flying over forty miles an hour for twelve hours, LeBlanc finished first in the 485 mile airship race and was declared winner. His time was one minute under twelve hours, or a fraction over forty miles an hour, averaged for the distance.

### TORPEDO BOATS SUNK.

KIEL, August 17.—Two German torpedo boats were sunk today in collision. No lives were lost.

## HOMESTEADS ARE TO BE PERPETUAL

The attention of visitors to the land office was called this morning to a clause of the new land laws of which many of them appear never to have heard. It is a section containing provisions which prohibit the sale of homesteaded land even after title has been acquired, after compliance with all the terms of the ten years' occupancy, except with the written consent of the governor and land commissioner. In other words, even after they have secured patents to their lands, the consent of two executive officers will be required before sales, mortgages or transfers can be made. The section in question is as follows:

"No land for which any such certificate, lease or agreement shall hereafter be issued, or any part thereof or interest therein or control thereof shall, without the written consent of the commissioner and governor, thereafter, whether before or after a homestead lease or patent has been issued thereon, be or be contracted to be in any way, directly or indirectly, by process of law or otherwise, conveyed, mortgaged, leased, or otherwise transferred to or acquired

or held by or for the benefit of any alien or corporation; or, before the issuance of a homestead lease or before the issuance of a patent, to or by or for the benefit of any person who owns, holds, or controls, directly or indirectly, other land or the use thereof the combined area of which and the land in question exceeds eighty acres: Provided, That these prohibitions shall not apply to transfers or acquisitions by inheritance or between tenants in common."

There is said to be some legal question as to the constitutionality of provisions prohibiting sale of the land even after title has been acquired. But the question cannot come up for ten years or more, and in the meantime the law stands as the best judgment of the people who have studied the matter here and in Congress.

One land applicant to whom the clause was shown this morning appeared to be a good deal surprised. He remarked that it should be advertised among the Olaa applicants.

## ACRES OF SKEETERS

Eight acres of wrigglers, ready to develop into healthy skeeters, have been supplying Makiki and Punahou districts with a first class revival lately, of the mosquito nuisance. The acres in question are where rice fields had been recently drained, leaving scores of little ponds. Yesterday the Board of Health mosquito fighters completed the work of killing the wrigglers off and spoiling their homes. The mosquito campaign has seemed

to be an utter failure lately in some parts of Makiki and Punahou. The pests have been very plentiful, about as numerous, in fact, as they ever were. This state of affairs, after the evil had been very much reduced, led some to think that the campaign was after all to prove ineffective. An inquiry at the Board of Health office as to whether the campaign had been given up or lessened developed the fact that the partially drained rice pond was probably responsible for the new swarms of mosquitoes. Still other sources of importance were at some native home above Lanialilo home, where various barrels, etc., of water were found teaming with wrigglers.

The usual remedies have been applied, and householders may expect that when the present crop of skeeters dies off, the replenishing will not be so rapid.

## THE EXPRESIDENT BACK IN THICK OF POLITICAL FRAY

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

NEW YORK, August 17.—The issue made by the defeat of Colonel Roosevelt for temporary chairman of the Republican State convention is to be appealed from the decision of the State Central Committee and will be fought out in the primaries and taken to the floor of the convention itself. Friends and supporters of the Colonel today took steps to begin the fight, Grisco making a statement to the effect that there would now be a fight to a finish, to make Theodore Roosevelt temporary chairman of the convention.

The announcement is taken as meaning that Roosevelt has consented to enter the fight, representing the Republican faction which calls itself the "progressives" against the men in control of the state organization. The issue will be watched with intense interest by the whole nation, as showing how much of his old strength the Ex-President is able to retain.

## CALIFORNIA CONGRESSMEN LOSE SEATS

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

SAN FRANCISCO, August 17.—Hiram Johnson's plurality over Charles F. Curry, his nearest competitor for the Republican nomination for governor of California, is about 50,000. The other candidates are far behind. Duncan E. McKinlay, Congressman from the Second District, who is now serving third term, was decisively beaten for a renomination by William Kent, insurgent.

James McLachlan, a regular, who is serving his sixth successive term as a Congressman from the Seventh district, Los Angeles county, was also beaten, the insurgent Stephens having won the primaries against him. Congressman Sylvester Clark Smith's renomination is in doubt.

The results of the primaries indicate that the insurgent forces will have a strong say as to the choice of United States Senator to succeed Flint, whose term expires next spring.

Congressman McLachlan, one of the defeated ones, was a member of the party of Congressmen to visit Hawaii last year as guests of Delegate Kihio.

## FLYING ACROSS WITH PASSENGER

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

DEAL, England, August 17.—Mozart, the Spanish aviator, is on his way here, across the English channel, carrying a passenger.

### THREE DAYS SALE AT SACHS.

At the sale of White Goods at Sachs which begins Monday and lasts for three days there will be great reductions in White Dotted Swiss, Pique, Organdies, Bordenaux Linen, Dimity and all classes of White Dress Goods



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